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## UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION **TRANSMITTAL**

NON-WOVEN DEPTH FILTER CARTRIDGE

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1. [X] Fee Calculation Sheet (Submit an original and a duplicate for fee processing) 2. [ ] Applicant claims small entity status 3. [X] Specification Total Pages [17]	APPLICATION ELEMENTS	Assistant Commissioner for Patents ADDRESS TO: Box Patent Application Washington, D.C. 20231
Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 C.F.R. 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b)  6. [X] Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76.  Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 C.F.R. 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b)  16. [J. Request and Certification under 35  U.S.C.122(b)(2)(B)(i). (Nonpublication Request 17. [J. Other 19.1]	(Submit an original and a duplicate for fee processing)  2. [ ] Applicant claims small entity status  3. [X] Specification Total Pages [17]  - Descriptive title of the invention  - Cross References to Related Applications  - Statement Regarding Fed. Sponsored R&D  - Reference to Microfiche Appendix  - Background of the Invention  - Brief Summary of the Invention  - Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)  - Detailed Description  - Claims  - Abstract of the Disclosure  4. [X] Drawings (35 U.S.C. 113) Total Sheets [4]  5. [X] Oath or Declaration Total Pages [3]  a. [ ] Newly Executed (original or copy)  b. [X] Copy from a prior application (37 C.F.R.  1.63(d) - for continuation/divisional with Box 18 completed)  [Mark Box 5 below]  I. [ ] DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)  Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 C.F.R. 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b)	<ol> <li>[] CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or Computer Program (Appendix)</li> <li>Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission (If applicable, all necessary)         <ol> <li>[] Computer Readable Copy (CRF)</li> <li>Specification Sequence Listing on:                 <ol> <li>[] CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies; or</li> <li>[] Paper</li> <li>[] Statements verifying identify of above copies</li> </ol> </li> <li>ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS</li> </ol> </li> <li>[] Assignment Papers (cover sheet &amp; document(s))</li> <li>[] 37 C.F.R. 3.73(b) Submission</li></ol>

18. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box and supply the requisite information below and in a preliminary amendment, or in an Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76: [] Continuation [X] Division [] Continuation Prior Application Information: Examiner M. Ocampo [ ] Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior Application No. 09/296,070 Group Art Unit 1723

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